

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- A method for enhancing communication within a
 community, the method comprising:
 - (a) establishing a hierarchical structure for organizing communications between a plurality of users within the community;
- (b) distributing control through inherited parameters of said hierarchical structure to at least one of said plurality of users;
- (c) storing in said hierarchical structure at least a portion of said communications received from said plurality of users from at least one of a plurality of input devices;
- (d) prioritizing said at least a portion of said communications within said hierarchical structure;
- (e) presenting to at least a one of said plurality of users through said at least one of a plurality of input devices a selected portion of said communications stored in said hierarchical structure; and
- (f) enabling dynamic interaction by said at least a one of said plurality of users through said at least one of a plurality of input devices in response to said selected portion of said communications within said hierarchical structure.

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